

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 452

By Daniel

A RESOLUTION to commend Tyler Charles Shrive for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Tyler Charles Shrive is one such individual, who distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Representative Martin Daniel and Senator Richard Briggs; Tyler's work resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, where he is highly regarded by his peers, Mr. Shrive has achieved academic success, earning placement on the Dean's List, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including holding membership in Sigma Nu fraternity; and

WHEREAS, a native of Portland, Tyler currently lives in Nashville but has plans to pursue postgraduate studies in public policy and public administration with an emphasis in healthcare policy at the University of Tennessee after completing an internship for Congressman Phil Roe in Washington, D.C., this summer; and

WHEREAS, the son of Alan and Jennifer Shrive and the grandson of Ronnie and Cathy Clouse, David and Sally Van Vleet Jones, and Charlie Shrive, Tyler Shrive has volunteered his time and energies to a number of civic and community organizations, including the Relay For Life and the Sarah Cannon Research Institute; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further his studies, Tyler brought his many abilities and

singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2015 session of the One Hundred Ninth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, during this session, Tyler has gained valued experience in painting and repainting legislative offices and has received more exercise than he likely expected. Though not independently confirmed by the pedometer he wears, Tyler believes he walks twenty-five miles each day in his travels between Legislative Plaza and the Capitol; and

WHEREAS, because he once answered Senator Briggs's personal phone to find Governor Haslam on the other end, Tyler Shrive now claims a personal friendship with Tennessee's governor, and his abilities in predicting Academy Award wins has earned him the respect and admiration of his peers; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2015 legislative session, Tyler surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Tyler Shrive performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Tyler Charles Shrive for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Martin Daniel and Senator Richard Briggs and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.